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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a response to the non-final Office Action dated June 29, 2007. Reexamination and reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.

Claims 37 and 44-59 are pending in this application. Claims 1-36 and 38-43 were previously canceled. Claim 37 stands withdrawn from consideration due to a restriction requirement. No claims have been added by this amendment.

Obviousness Rejection

Claims 44-59 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Zabotto et al. (U.S. Patent No. 4,673,526) and Barker et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,360,824), in view of Kellner (U.S. Patent No. 6,042,815), McAtee et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,153,208), Stewart et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,197,281), Geria (U.S. Patent No. 4,992,476), Daniel et al. (U.S. Patent No.